DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE DIVISION OF AGRICULTURAL RESOURCES

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To:

Professional Applicators and Pesticide Dealers

From: Bob Spencer, Bureau Chief

Division of Agricultural Resources

Re:

Soil Fumigation Spring Training

The Idaho State Department of Agriculture (ISDA), AMVAC Chemical Corporation, Tessenderlo Kerley, Inc. and Taminco, Inc./Simplot Grower Solutions would like to announce some upcoming soil fumigation trainings on March 12 and 13, 2014 in Idaho.

The training will address soil fumigation label requirements and a review of past applications and incidents for private applicators, professional applicators and dealers. Training will also focus on certification and training requirements, buffer zones, safe handling of fumigants, stewardship, notification, emergency response plans and other label requirements.

Training seminars will be approximately two hours long and refreshments will be served. ISDA will be providing two (2) pesticide recertification credits for those licensed applicators attending the seminars. Below are the dates, times and locations where the trainings will be held:

March 12, 2014	8:00 – 10:00 am	Shoshone Bannock Tribes Hotel	Blackfoot, ID
March 12, 2014	2:00 – 4:00 pm	La Quinta Inn	Twin Falls, ID
March 13, 2014	8:00 – 10:00 am	Hilton Garden Inn	Boise, ID*

Please RSVP with the number of people interested in attending this spring soil fumigation training. If you have growers that would like to attend the training, please notify them about the training or have them contact us.

If you are interested in attending this training, please contact one of the following individuals:

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^{*} Oregon recertification credits may be available for this seminar